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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

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Serial No.: This application is a National  
Phase of Patent Application  
PCT/EP99/08063/ filed 25 October 1999.

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For: POWDER CLEARCOAT MATERIAL  
AND AQUEOUS POWDER CLEARCOAT  
SLURRY

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR § 1.115**

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

This preliminary amendment is submitted with the application for entry into  
the U.S. National Phase under Chapter II. This application is based on  
PCT/EP99/08063 filed on 25 October 1999.

In connection with the filing of this National Phase application, please  
make the following preliminary amendments.

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

Substitute for claim 1.

1. (Amended) A liquid composition, prepared by copolymerizing  
olefinically unsaturated compounds in a reaction medium of reactive diluents for  
thermally curable multisubstance mixtures.